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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Supplemental to the amendment dated February 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add new dependent claims 11 and 12 as follows:

11. The board anchor of claim 7 wherein each of said shaped openings are formed by first and second spaced apart protrusions extending into a cavity.

12. The board anchor of claim 11 wherein sufficient space is provided between said first and second protrusions to enable said attachment ring protrusions to extend therebetween, said extending protrusions limiting the angular rotation of said attachment ring protrusions.

REMARKS

Further to the amendment dated February 4, 2003, applicant hereby submits additional dependent claims 11 and 12.